

REMARKS

Claims 35 and 36 have been canceled, thereby rendering the rejection of these claims moot.

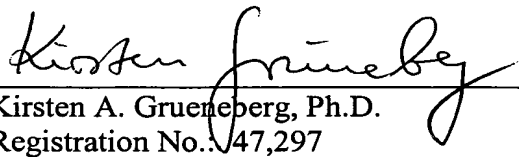
No new matter is believed to have been added by entry of this amendment. Entry and favorable reconsideration are respectfully requested.

Upon entry of this amendment Claims 1-16, 19, 20, 23-34 and 36-69 will now be active in this application. Claim 34 stands withdrawn as being drawn to non-elected subject matter.

This application presents allowable subject matter, and the Examiner is kindly requested to pass it to issue. Should the Examiner have any questions regarding the claims or otherwise wish to discuss this case, he is kindly invited to contact Applicants' below-signed representative, who would be happy to provide any assistance deemed necessary in speeding this application to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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